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SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
EL PASO CONVENTION AND PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
#1 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA
JANUARY 26, 2006

The City Council met at the above place and date at approximately 8:36 a.m. Mayor John Cook present and presiding and the following Council Members answered roll call:

Representative Susie Byrd
Representative Presi Ortega, Jr.
Representative Steve Ortega
Representative Beto O'Rourke

Late Arrivals: Representative Eddie Holguin – 8:50 a.m., Representative Jose Alexandro Lozano – 9:10 a.m., Representative Melina Castro – 9:50 a.m., Representative Ann Lilly 9:51 a.m.

Not Present: None

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AGENDA

Discussion and action on presentation and roundtable discussion by the Urban Land Institute on Smart Growth, New Urbanism and other current planning principals.

Powerpoint presentation on file in the City Clerk's Office and recommendations presented by Urban Land Institute panelists regarding Smart Growth New Urban and other perspective current planning proposals.

1. Mr. J. Kevin Lawler, ULI Panel Chair, Private Sector Perspective.
2. Ms. Elizabeth Davison, Smart Growth and Public Policy
3. Ms. Sue Southon, Community Investment and Smart Growth
4. Ms. Mary Beth Corrigan, Characteristics of Smart Growth

The following Council member commented and questioned the Urban Land Institute panelists:
Representative Byrd

The following members of the City Plan Commission questioned the Urban Land Institute panelists and commented.

1. Mr. Carlos Gallinar, City Plan Commission
2. Mr. Michael Lee, City Plan Commission
3. Mr. Ray Mancera, City Plan Commission
4. Mr. Chad North, City Plan Commission
5. Mr. Ramon Bustillos, City Plan Commission
6. Mr. Gus Haddad, City Plan Commission

The following members of the public commented and questioned the Urban Land Institute Panelists.

7. Mr. Bobby Bowling, Tropicana Homes
8. Mr. David Crowder, El Paso Times
9. Mr. Troy Hicks
10. Ms. Susan Austin, Former City Representative
11. Ms. Katie Updike
12. Mr. Bill Sparks
13. Ms. Terri Fraetschel
14. Mr. Jeffrey Hillmeyer
15. Mr. Wayne Grinnel
16. Mr. Fred Mesa

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Motion made by Representative Lilly seconded by Representative Lozano and unanimously carried to **ADJOURN** the meeting at 11:49 a.m.

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APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



Richarda Duffy Momsen, City Clerk